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## Considerations Humbly Offered in Relation to the East India Trade.

I. THE Absolute Necessity of the Immediate Establishing this Great and Profitable Trade to the Nation, which is so considerable an Article in the Ballance of the Commerce of *Europe*, before the same be Lost, It being Courted by all.

II. That forasmuch as both Houses of Parliament have been pleased to Vote, this Trade shall be managed by a Joynt-Stock, Exclusive to all others, it is Absolutely Necessary, That it should be an *United*, and not a *Divided* Joynt-Stock, And that due Care be taken, it be settled without any Separate Interest.

III. That the *English* Company be Established, with such Powers and Immunities as may put them upon an equal Foot with the Joynt-Stocks of the Neighbouring Nations, and thereby enable them to preserve, and carry on the Trade to the Benefit of this Nation.

*Three Considerations*  
Touching the  
**EAST-INDIA** Trade.

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